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The American Revolution

Dayton, Ohio

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Jonathan Dayton Chapter

Twelfth Year

Organized February 5, 1896.

Date of Chapter, April 8, 1896.

National Number, 213.

**Regular Meetings Held Bi-monthly, from March to
January, on the Third Saturday of the Month,
at 3:00 P. M.**

The Objects of this Society:

To cherish, maintain, and extend the institutions of American freedom, to foster true patriotism and love of country, and to aid in securing for mankind all the blessings of liberty.

Charter Members

Francis Louise Achey	Louise Achey Kennedy
Louise Devereux Burns	Harriet Snyder King
Emma Thompson Beaver	Hattie Mason Lytle
Jessie Leech Davisson	Sara Jerome Patrick
Mary Ellen Gebhart	Sarah Dechert Young
Flora Hughes Hodge	Anna Kimmel Welliver
Martha Olivia Hawes	

Regents of Chapter

Louise Devereux Burns, 1896—1898
Lizzie Snyder Stilwell, 1898—1900
Francis Louise Achey, 1900—1902
Mary Ellen Gebhart, 1902—1904
Rebekah Harriet Strickle, 1904—1906
Sophie T. Reynolds, 1906
Sara Jerome Patrick, 1906—1908
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1908-1909

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Committee of Safety

THE OFFICERS OF THE CHAPTER, AND
LOUISE ACHEY KENNEDY FLORENCE MCGREGOR
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Chapter Calendar

1908-1909

Saturday, March Twenty-first

Hostess, MISS MARY BRADY

THE SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

**John Hancock
Robert Morris
Benjamin Rush**

"Thus from the distant past the history of the human race is telegraphed from generation to generation, through the present to all succeeding ages."

Wednesday, May Twentieth

STEELE HIGH SCHOOL

Prizes Awarded to The Junior Class for Essays on

"Jonathan Dayton, with a sketch of
the purchase and location of
the City of Dayton."

In Charge - Mrs. J. E. Welliver and the Committee of Safety

The Purchasers Were:

GEN. ARTHUR ST. CLAIR
GEN JONATHAN DAYTON
GEN. JAMES WILKINSON
COL. ISRAEL LUDLOW

Saturday, June Sixth

Hostess, MRS. J. E. WELLIVER

REPORT FROM CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

READING PRIZE ESSAY—Jonathan Dayton

“On the first of November 1795, Israel Ludlow laid out the town which he named for Jonathan Dayton. Three streets were named: St. Clair, Wilkinson and Ludlow, for the original purchasers.”—*Mary Steele's "Early Dayton."*

Saturday, May Thirtieth

MEMORIAL DAY

Soldiers buried in Woodland Cemetery :

COL. ROBERT PATTERSON

COL. ISAAC SPINNING

MAJOR ZIEGLER

ISAAC PIERCE

ALEXANDER SIMPSON

And though the warrior's sun has set,
Its light still lingers round us yet—
Bright, radiant, blest.

Committee

Mrs. Grafton Kennedy

Mrs. John Hardy

Mrs. Orville Buvinger

Mrs. C. H. Leaman

Mrs. George Schuster

Saturday, September Nineteenth

Hostess, **MRS. T. J. WEAKLEY**

How have you spent the Summer?

The summer's long sweet, happy dream is o'er
And mellow Autumn paints the woodland red,
And from our restfulness we wake refreshed,
Prepared to grasp anew life's mystic thread.

Letters from absent members

Life in Manila - - - - *Mrs. Abraham Bickham*

To make space for wandering in it
That the world was made so wide

Saturday, November Twenty.first

Hostess, MISS MARY WALTERS

**REPORT FROM STATE CONFERENCE
NOMINATION OF OFFICERS**

From Absent Members

Life in Berlin - - - - Mrs. David Engle

Friends must be torn asunder, and swept along in the current of events, to see each other seldom, forever and forever in the eddies of time, we whirl away.

Saturday, January Eighteenth

Hostess, MRS. S. H. CARR

**ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING
REPORTS
ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

Payment of Dues

January

Janus am I; the oldest of potentates;
Forward I look and backward, and below
I count—as god of avenues and gates,—
The years that through my portals come and go.

Members of Chapter

CHAPTER
NO.

- 2 Mrs. Frances L. Achey, Keowee and Webster
- *Mrs. W. D. Bickham, 117 West Monument Avenue
- 44 Mrs. A. S. Bickham, Manila, P. I.
- 24 Mrs. Charles Bidleman, 422 West Second Street
- 40 Miss Louise Bidleman, 422 West Second Street
- 26 Miss Mary M. Brady, 310 West Third Street
- 27 Miss Martha J. Brady, 310 West Third Street
- 51 Mrs. Bernice B. Brien, 22 Federal Street
- 1 Mrs. Silas R. Burns, California
- 68 Mrs. Orville Buvinger, 47 East Helena Street
- 71 Miss Edna Brown, 511 Neal Avenue
- 72 Miss Gertrude Brown, 511 Neal Avenue
- 75 Mrs. Ralph A. Bunn, 233 Valley Street
- 33 Mrs. S. H. Carr, 210 West Second Street
- 55 Mrs. Joseph Carr, 211 West Monument Avenue
- 49 Mrs. Charles E. Clark, 230 Sunset Avenue
- 50 Mrs. Margaret Clark Henkle, 230 Sunset Avenue
- 3 Mrs. O. F. Davisson, 307 Central Avenue
- 60 Mrs. A. H. Dunham, 654 North Avenue
- 43 Mrs. David Engle, 16 N. Boulevard
- 74 Mrs. Will Gebhart, 141 South Jackson Street
- 16 Mrs. David Gebhart, 647 Grand Avenue

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- 53 Mrs. D. W. Greene, 21 North Perry Street
- 14 Mrs. Martha O. Hawes, Belmont Avenue
- 66 Miss Catherine Mae Hardy, 1126 North Main Street
- 65 Mrs. John Hardy, 1126 North Main Street
- 28 Mrs. William Isenberg, Belmont Avenue
- 4 Mrs. Grafton C. Kennedy, Keowee and Webster
- 52 Mrs. Eugene Kennedy, Rural Route No. 5
- 13 Mrs. R. N. King, 133 West Second Street
- 38 Miss Margaret King, 133 West Second Street
- 58 Mrs. C. H. Leaman, 164 Linden Avenue
- 54 Mrs. Robert Marsh, Los Angeles, California
- 37 Mrs. John R. More, 400 West First Street
- 64 Mrs. James McCann, 34 Riverdale Street
- 29 Mrs. Charles MacGregor, 203 West Third Street
- 69 Mrs. W. D. McKemy, 509 West Fourth Street
- 8 Mrs. I. M. Patrick, National Military Home
- 56 Mrs. J. R. Reynolds, Insko
- 73 Mrs. Matilda Sample
- 42 Mrs. H. M. Sample, Attica, Indiana
- 62 Mrs. George Schuster, 329 West Fourth Street
- 57 Miss Mary Smith, 221 Salem Avenue
- 67 Mrs. Charles Staniland, St. Mary's Street
- 47 Miss Minnie Ida Smith, 221 Salem Avenue
- 41 Miss Rebekah H. Strickle, 117 West Monument Avenue

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- 48 Mrs. Earnest Hartley Townsend, Ashland, Kentucky
- 23 Miss Mary E. Walters, 35 East First Street
- 34 Mrs. Samuel Weller, 141 Salem Avenue
- 63 Mrs. Fredrick A. Waldron, Stanford, Connecticut
- 9 Mrs. J. E. Welliver, West Second Street
- 46 Mrs. T. J. Weakley, 355 West First Street
- 61 Mrs. H. A. Wilber, 229 Grafton Avenue
- 25 Mrs. A. N. Wilcox, 232 North Boulevard
- 5 Mrs. E. S. Young, 306 West Monument Avenue
- 70 Mrs. George Wuichet, R. F. D. No. 13

In Memoriam

Hettie M. Lytle, April 18, 1896

Mary D. Steele, February 25, 1897

Emma T. Beaver, January 4, 1901

Agnes D. Steele, January 12, 1901

*Lucinda Ellis Dunlap, June 1901

America Andrews, June 1902

*Ann Mathiot Dorsey, July 29, 1902

*Hannah F. Clark, June 1903

Sophie T. Reynolds, June 16, 1906

Belle Mitchell Smith, July 1, 1906

Eleanor Smith, July 1, 1906

Elizabeth Snyder Stilwell, January 15, 1908

The tomb is not an endless night,
It is a thoroughfare—a way
That closes in a soft twilight
And opens on eternal day.

*Real daughter of a soldier of the Revolution.

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